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For: NUCLEOTIDES FOR PREVENTION AND

TREATMENT OF BACTERIAL AND

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATION CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, dated July 10, 2006.

Submitted herewith in connection with the above-referenced patent application are a replacement printed copy of the Sequence Listing and a computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing. Applicant asserts that the Sequence Listing on the computer readable form is identical to the printed copy and that no new matter has been added to the replacement Sequence Listing.

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Applicants respectfully request the above-referenced patent application be placed upon the files for examination. Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0591, under Order No. 17242/003004 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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Respectfully submitted,

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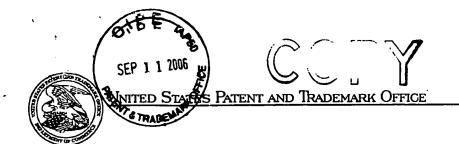
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